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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. Man Hyo Park et al.
of:

Appln. No.: 10/734,702

Filed: December 11, 2003

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
DRIVING LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY
DEVICE

Docket No: 10125/5258

Client Ref. F03-366US001

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Examiner: Ricardo Osorio

Art Unit: 2629

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF
PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT**

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Dear Sir:

The Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system indicates a patent term adjustment that was calculated by the U.S. Patent office pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.701 of 578 days. A copy of the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system Patent Term Adjustment History is attached as Exhibit A.

Applicant's Attorney believes that the patent term adjustment should be 1142 days. For the reasons stated herein, reconsideration of the patent term adjustment is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.705(b). Please charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

The present application is not subject to a terminal disclaimer. In addition, there were no circumstances during the prosecution of the application resulting in the notice of allowance that constitute a failure of the Applicant to engage in reasonable efforts to conclude processing or examination of the present application as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.704.

Period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(1)

The period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(1) is the number of days in the period beginning on the day (“the 14 month date”) after the date that is fourteen months after the date on which the application was filed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 111(a), or fulfilled the requirements pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 371, and ending on the date of mailing or either an action pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 132 or a notice of allowance pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 151, whichever comes first.

The PTO calculation of the period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(1) indicates, as shown by the PAIR PTA adjustment history, an adjustment of 672 days (14 months after the filing of the application on December 11, 2003 to the mailing of the first Office Action on February 15, 2006).

Period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(b)

The period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(b) is the number of days in the period beginning on the day (“the 3 year date”) after the date that is three years after the date on which the application was filed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 111(a) or fulfilled the requirements pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 371.

The present application was filed on December 11, 2003. The 3 year date specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(b) is December 11, 2006. The PTO issued a patent for the present application on July 1, 2008. The difference between the 3 year date and the date of issue of the patent is 564 days.

Reduction in Period of Adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(b), the period of adjustment shall be reduced by the number of days, if any, beginning on the day after the date (the 3 month date) that

is three months after the date of mailing or transmission of an Office communication notifying the applicant of a rejection, objection, etc., and ending on the date a corresponding reply was filed.

The PTO calculation of the period of reduction of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.704, as shown by the PAIR PTA adjustment history, is 94 days.

Total Patent Term Adjustment

For the present application, the total patent term adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(f) is the period of adjustment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.703 reduced by any delays pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.704. Thus, according to our calculations, we believe that the patent term adjustment should be at least 672 days + 564 days – 94 = **1142** days.

It is respectfully asserted that the patent term adjustment determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for the present application may not be correct. Accordingly, Applicant's Attorney respectfully requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to reconsider, and make revisions to the PAIR system Patent Term Adjustment History in view of the previous remarks. In addition, it is respectfully requested that the patent term adjustment be re-calculated by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in view of the above remarks. Office personnel are invited to contact the undersigned attorney for the Applicant's Attorney via telephone if such communication would be beneficial in fulfilling this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

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Patent Term Adjustments

Patent Term Adjustment (PTA) for Application Number: 10/734,702

Filing or 371(c) Date:	12-11-2003	USPTO Delay (PTO) Delay (days):	672
Issue Date of Patent:	07-01-2008	Three Years:	-
Pre-Issue Petitions (days):	+0	Applicant Delay (APPL) Delay (days):	94
Post-Issue Petitions (days):	+0	Total PTA (days):	578
USPTO Adjustment(days):	+0	Explanation Of Calculations	

Patent Term Adjustment History

Date	Contents Description	PTO(Days)	APPL(Days)
06-11-2008	PTA 36 Months		
07-01-2008	Patent Issue Date Used in PTA Calculation		
05-23-2008	Dispatch to FDC		
05-23-2008	Application Is Considered Ready for Issue		
05-22-2008	Issue Fee Payment Verified		
05-22-2008	Issue Fee Payment Received		
02-22-2008	Mail Notice of Allowance		
02-21-2008	Document Verification		
02-20-2008	Notice of Allowance Data Verification Completed		
02-19-2008	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
02-01-2008	Response after Non-Final Action		
11-01-2007	Mail Non-Final Rejection		
10-29-2007	Non-Final Rejection		
08-14-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
08-03-2007	Response to Election / Restriction Filed		94
07-17-2007	Mail Notice of Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment		↑
05-06-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner		↑
05-01-2007	Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment after Examiner Action		↑
05-01-2007	Response to Election / Restriction Filed		↑
04-09-2007	Mail Restriction Requirement		
04-02-2007	Requirement for Restriction / Election		
01-26-2007	Date Forwarded to Examiner		
01-12-2007	Response to Election / Restriction Filed		
12-15-2006	Mail Restriction Requirement	672	
12-11-2006	Requirement for Restriction / Election	↑	
12-11-2003	Request for Foreign Priority (Priority Papers May Be Included)	↑	
08-04-2006	Miscellaneous Incoming Letter	↑	
06-26-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑	
03-21-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑	
03-03-2006	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑	

03-16-2005	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑
09-16-2004	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑
05-24-2004	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete	↑
05-24-2004	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU	↑
03-19-2004	Application Return from OIPE	↑
03-19-2004	Application Return TO OIPE	↑
03-19-2004	Application Dispatched from OIPE	↑
03-19-2004	Application Is Now Complete	↑
02-17-2004	Cleared by OIPE CSR	↑
01-07-2004	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review	↑
12-11-2003	Initial Exam Team nn	↑

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